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September 21, 1998

Dr. Richard B. Hayter
1920 Grandview Drive
Manhattan, KS 66502-3722

Saturday Banquet

Dear Dr. Hayter:

Thank you for consenting to serve as master of ceremonies at the Convention Initiation and Awards Banquet. Here are some details concerning that evening's program, which will begin at 6:30 p.m. in the Regency Ballroom of the Holiday Inn.

I have enclosed a tentative head-table seating arrangement and a copy of the program. Please be prepared for the usual last-minute juggling when unexpected guests show up or someone assigned to the head tables does not attend. I will have place cards available for all persons assigned to the head tables, including the reserved table in front.


There will be a reception for the 1998 Laureate in Conference Room I at 6:00 p.m. By way of a copy of this letter to them, I am inviting all of the people who will be sitting at the head and reserved tables to attend. The chairs of the Resolutions and Awards Committees will not be selected until those committees meet together, so we will not know those names until the Convention. I will tell you the names of the students in those two assignments prior to the banquet so that you can introduce them properly when the time comes.

Here is the agenda in detail:

1. Welcome everyone, present your special invocation, and enjoy your meal. (55 min.)
2. As soon as you see that nearly everyone has finished eating, introduce those at the head table -- names and titles will be just fine.
3. Introduce Elizabeth R. Verderber who will welcome the new initiates. (2 min.)
4. Introduce Ed Basta who will present the R.H. Nagel Memorial Slide Show. (12 min.)
5. Then introduce Steve Pierre, Convention Chair, (1 min.) who will introduce Bill Beans who will present the G.I.G. Chapter Project Grants and will introduce the 1998 Outstanding Advisor, John Luchini who will introduce the S.O.E.L.C. chair who will announce the winners of the 1998 Standard of Excellence in Liberal Culture Award; and Molly Brennan who will present the Tau Beta Pi Laureates for 1998. (12 min.)

6. Steve Pierre will introduce the chair of the Awards Committee who will announce the winners of the R. C. Matthews Outstanding Chapter and the R. H. Nagel Most Improved Chapter Awards. (8 min.)
7. Steve will then introduce the chair of the Resolutions Committee who will make presentations to the host chapter and read the closing resolutions. (6 min.)
8. Steve will introduce Ed Basta who will install the new Executive Council. (5 min.)
9. Steve will turn it back to you, and you will introduce, in turn, Dr. Elizabeth A. Unger, Dr. Terry S. King, Brian J. Budke, and Doug Green who will deliver brief farewell messages. (1 min. each)
9. You will ask Brian J. Budke for any announcements concerning Sunday morning transportation or any other last minute arrangements. (2 min.)
10. You will end your duties as Master of Ceremonies by asking Steve to adjourn the Convention. (1 min.)
11. Steve will ask Jim Froula to lead the group in the Tau Beta Pi yell. Steve will then adjourn the Convention. (2 min.) Thank you!

Best wishes,


Roger E. Hawks

REH/tv

Enclosure

CC: Executive Councils

James D. Froula
Elizabeth R. Verderber
Jonathan M. Owens -- Laureate
Resolutions Committee Chair
Awards Committee Chair
Standard of Excellence in Liberal Culture Committee Chair
Dr. Elizabeth A. Unger
D. Stephen Pierre, Jr.
Brian J. Budke
Dr. Terry S. King
Gary Cook, photographer
Dr. E.R. Fowler
Prof. Tom Eagar, MA B Advisor

THE TAU BETA PI ASSOCIATION

Initiation and Awards Banquet

Saturday, October 10, 1998

Resolutions Committee Chair

Mr. James D. Froula -- Secretary-Treasurer

Mrs. Barbara Froula

Awards Committee Chair

Mr. Jonathan M. Owens -- Laureate

Ms. Molly K. Brennan -- Executive Councillor

Dr. Elizabeth A. Unger -- Vice Provost, Academic Services & Technology and Dean
Continuing Education, KSU

Mr. D. Stephen Pierre, Jr. -- Convention Chair

Podium

Dr. Richard B. Hayter -- Associate Dean of the College of Engineering, KSU

Guest of Dr. Hayter (*Barbara*)

Mr. Edward D. Basta -- President

Dr. Terry S. King -- Dean of the College of Engineering, KSU

Dr. E. William Beans -- Vice President

Mrs. Zeda Beans

Mr. Brian J. Budke -- 1998 Arrangements Chair

Dr. John R. Luchini -- Executive Councillor

Ms. Elizabeth R. Verderber -- President, KS G

Reserved Table (in front)

Prof. Tom Eagar (representing Mr. John Tucker)

Guests of Laureate

Executive Council-elect

Gary Cook

Standard of Excellence in Liberal Culture Committee Chair

The R.C. Matthews Outstanding Chapter Awards and The R.H. Nagel Most Improved Chapter Awards

The Outstanding Chapter Awards were established by the 1956 Convention. They were renamed in honor of Secretary-Treasurer R.C. Matthews who died in 1978. They recognize outstanding chapter achievement during a school year in two areas of work—the accuracy and promptness of reports to headquarters, and the service value to the chapter and its college and community of projects and activities.

The Most Improved Chapter Awards were established by the 1971 Convention. They were renamed in honor of Secretary-Treasurer Emeritus Robert H. Nagel. They recognize and encourage major improvement in total chapter performance in one year as compared with previous years.

Selection of the winning chapters in the two award programs is made by a committee of delegates to the Convention, with assistance from the headquarters staff.

The purpose of involving student delegates in the Outstanding Chapter and Most Improved Chapter Awards judging is to advise them of the many fine projects being undertaken by Tau Beta Pi chapters around the country. Dissemination of information about them by the delegates to their chapters is important.

THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OF TAU BETA PI, 1994-98

President Edward D. Basta, Ohio Epsilon '82
Vice President E. William Beans, Ohio Gamma '53
Councillor Robert O. Barr Jr., Michigan Gamma '61
Councillor Molly K. Brennan, Michigan Alpha '82
Councillor John R. Luchini, Michigan Gamma '71

THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OF TAU BETA PI, 1998-2002

President Douglas M. Green, Texas Beta '65
Vice President Edward J. D'Avignon, New York Beta '88
Councillor Jerome A. Atkins, District of Columbia Alpha '63
Councillor George D. Peterson, Ohio Eta '72
Councillor Catherine P. Rice, Maryland Beta '83

THE TAU BETA PI YELL (traditional) —Adopted in 1908

Ammeter, Indicator, Wye Level Wye.
Slide Rule, Dynamo, Tau Beta Pi!

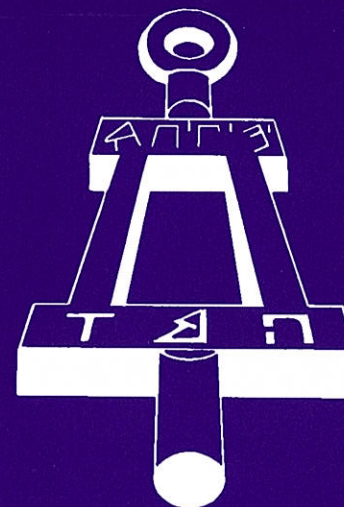
—Written by R. C. Matthews, IL A '01

THE TAU BETA PI YELL (modern) —Adopted in 1978

Calculate, Innovate, Try, Try, Try.
Integrity, Honesty, Tau Beta Pi!

—Written by H. F. Klos Jr., PA Z '78

The Tau Beta Pi Association 93rd National Convention



TAU BETA PI

Initiation and Awards Banquet

October 10, 1998

Regency Ballroom

Holiday Inn

Preamble to the Constitution of Tau Beta Pi

The Tau Beta Pi Association was founded at Lehigh University in 1885 to mark in a fitting manner those who have conferred honor upon their Alma Mater by distinguished scholarship and exemplary character as undergraduates in engineering, or by their attainments as alumni in the field of engineering, and to foster a spirit of liberal culture in engineering colleges.

Kansas Gamma Officers and Advisors

President Elizabeth R. Verderber
Vice President Jennifer A. Wright
Recording Secretary Jason M. Hartman
Corresponding Secretary Carrie A. Burgardt
Treasurer Kristopher S. Lander
Cataloger Christopher L. Webster

Chapter Advisors:

E. Randolph Fowler Kansas Gamma '57
Larry E. Erickson Kansas Gamma '60
Bradley L. Guenther Kansas Gamma '95
Terry S. King Iowa Alpha '73
Ruth D. Miller Pennsylvania Epsilon '84
Donald E. Rathbone Indiana Alpha '51
Shelli K. Starrett Missouri Beta '88

Convention Leaders:

Convention Arrangements Co-chairs Brian J. Budke
and Heather V. Rectanus
Convention Treasurer Danna J. Lethbridge

Convention Committee Chairs:

Banner Aaron W. Orsborn
Corporate Donations & Duplication Jennifer A. Wright
Group Photo Aaron W. Orsborn
Guests' Program & Tours Elizabeth R. Verderber
Head Table Seating & Meals Laura N. Buller
Hospitality Kansas Alpha & Missouri Alpha Chapters
Initiation Christopher L. Webster
Physical Facilities Stephen M. Nicholls
Publicity & Webpage Bradley L. Guenther
Registration Laura N. Buller
Souvenir Brian J. Budke
Transportation Eric B. Dalton

PROGRAM

Master of Ceremonies *Dr. Richard B. Hayter*
Associate Dean, College of Engineering, KSU

Welcome Initiates *Elizabeth R. Verderber*
President, Kansas Gamma

R.H. Nagel Memorial Slide Show *Edward D. Basta*

Final Business Meeting *D. Stephen Pierre Jr.*
Convention Chair

Presentation of Awards:

G.I.G. Chapter Project Grants *Dr. E. William Beans*
National Outstanding Advisor *Dr. E. William Beans*
Standard of Excellence *Dr. John R. Luchini*
Tau Beta Pi Laureates *Molly K. Brennan*

R.C. Matthews Outstanding Chapter
Awards and R.H. Nagel Most
Improved Chapter Awards *Chair, Awards Committee*

Resolutions *Chair, Resolutions Committee*

Installation of New Executive Council *Edward D. Basta*

Farewell Messages from:

The University *Dr. Elizabeth A. Unger*
Vice Provost, Academic Services & Technology
Dean, Continuing Education, KSU

The College *Dr. Terry S. King*
Dean, College of Engineering, KSU

The Chapter *Brian J. Budke*
Arrangements Co-chair

The Association *Douglas M. Green*
President of Tau Beta Pi

Adjournment of the Convention